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Re: Mine Plan Addendums-Jackpile-
Paguete Comprehensive Mine
Plan The Anaconda Company

Dear Mr. Grey:

The following is information concerning the Jackpile-Paguete Mine which we have not yet received. Please reference my May 2 and July 28 letters to you, and your July 19 response. Please forward this information as soon as possible and inform me if delays are anticipated.

1. A map showing the location of your surface and sub-surface water monitoring locations and the data obtained to the present time.
2. A map showing the air monitoring locations.
3. A map showing the post reclamation drainage patterns, surface slopes, and highwalls.
4. An estimate of the amount of standing water that will occur after reclamation, the possibility of it becoming contaminated and ways to prevent contamination.
5. Gamma and radon data for all previously reclaimed waste dumps and dumps K and L.
6. Data showing that the species being used for revegetation do not concentrate radioactive elements

or selenium. It is not critical that we have this data now, but you should be aware of the fact that we will require eradication of all species that do concentrate these elements.

7. A replacement for page 6 of your July 19 letter. The amount of cover in part (b) is incorrect.
8. Please be aware that if you decide not to remove any of the ore storage piles a plan must be submitted to the Area Mining Supervisor as defined in the Proposed Stipulations section of our environmental analysis.
9. Mr. Lynn, General Manager, has been requested to submit the yearly reclamation report.

If it is acceptable to you, I will contact Chris Sanchez with any future environmental problems or questions to avoid consuming too much of your time.

Sincerely yours,

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